

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20463

Richard A. Schulenberg 2150 North Beverly Glen Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90077

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RE: MUR 5569

Cynthia Matthews and the Committee to

Elect Cynthia Matthews

Dear Mr. Schulenberg:

On October 21, 2004, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, Cynthia Matthews and the Committee to Elect Cynthia Matthews, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). On February 9, 2006, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint and information provided by your clients, that there is no reason to believe Cynthia Matthews and the Committee to Elect Cynthia Matthews violated the Act. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information. A Statement of Reasons from one or more Commissioners may follow shortly.

If you have any questions, please contact Stacey Bennett, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

BY:

Sincerely,

Lawrence H. Norton

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Deputy Associate General Counsel

for Enforcement

Enclosure: General Counsel's Report